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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

OMAR STRATMAN,)
) CASE NO. 3:02-CV-0290 (JKS)
 Plaintiff,)
)
 v.)
)
 LEISNOI, INC., KONIAG, INC.,)
 and P. LYNN SCARLETT, Acting)
 Secretary of the Interior,)
)
 Defendants.)
)

FEDERAL DEFENDANTS' STATUS REPORT

Federal defendants make this report pursuant to this Court's order filed February 7, 2006.

The Secretary of Interior has not yet rendered a decision on the eligibility of Leisnoi, Inc. for benefits as a Native village. The status of the briefing of the Secretary is set forth in the accompanying letter of Scott Keep, Assistant Solicitor, Branch of Tribal Government and

Alaska. Federal defendants will file a further status report on July 6, 2006.

Respectfully submitted from Anchorage, this 6th day of April, 2006 .

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 6th day of April , 2006, a copy of the foregoing was served electronically to:

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